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New Advertisements.



Hongkong, 30th Jan., 1869. THE Naval Storekeeper hereby gives notice that on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd CHINA:—Swajow, Drown & Co. Amoy, under the conditions contained in the Gills & Co. Foochow, Thompson & gulations of Her Majesty's Transport Serious of Her Majesty's Transport Serious wice and the form of Charter Party, which

conveyance from Hongkong to Singapore, | boards, Whatnots, Lamps, Teapoys by steamer, of about 13 Officers, 349 men, Mirrors, Engravings, Vases, Breakfast, 29 Women, 40 Children, and 2 Horses; with the option of sending about the following Feb. 1, San Lorenzo, Spanish brig, 220, numbers from Singapore to Colombo, Cey Ledesma, Manila, Jan. 22, General.—Relon, viz: 19 Officers, 8 Staff-Sergts., 286 Men, 35 Women, and 35 Children.

Tenders are to be made at rates per head (officers and men separately), which are to include conveyance, freight of baggage according to Government Scale (appendix 22 of the Transport Regulations), the supply of articles for the mess place, cabins and berths (appendix 15), articles for table use of Staff Sergeants and Troops, and drinking Tanks for use on the mess deck (appendix 16), and of Cooking utensils, fuel, lights, necessaries for their use (appendix 17), as well as of all such stores (especially those referred to in article 97), and other requi sites as are required by the transport Regulations to be provided by the owners. Messing for officers, or other lat class or 2nd class Passengers, is to be supplied by The Ocean Steam-ship the owners, and will be paid for (in addition to the above charges per head at the rates specified in appendix 23 ex- of the Regulations, which rates are

pected from Shanghai on to include the supply of Bedding the 12th instant, will be despatched hence clusive of Bed linen and Towels), medical comforts, articles for Table use, Cook No parcels will be received at the office ing utensils, fuel, lights, and other requisites, (article 201, and appendix 15 to 17 of the Regulations) Fittings will be erected, and Provisions. Water, Medical Comforts, and Bedding for TENDERS FOR PRINTING MARKET

the Staff Sergeants and Troops, as well as for their families, will be found by Government. Owners are to supply a distilling apparatus, the requisites for baking Bread, HE Hongkong General Chamber of and Water Casks or Tanks. A Competent Commerce are open to receive tenders Person is to be provided by the owners, at for the printing of its fortnightly Circulars. their expense, to manage the distilling Communications should be made to the apparatus, to keep it in effective working undersigned, who will furnish any inform- order, and to issue the distilled water. ation regarding forms and style of paper Payment will be made for Staff Sergeants

and their Families at the rates exceeding by one-third those which may be agreed upon for the Troops and their Families. All Tenders must be made up on the printed form provided for the purpose, which may be obtained on application at HIS day is published by Noronha & envelopes, and addressed to the Naval All Lots, with all faults and errors of The property to be at the risk of the pur-The CHARGE of the Lord Bishop of her the words, "Tender for the Convey- of the hammer.

No Tender will be received after 12 o'clock at noon on the day of treaty. A)HE following cases have been landed * In a ship provided with a distilling and stored at the risk and expense of apparatus, only half the stock of filtered S O L D B Y A U C T I O N the Consignees, who are requested to take water required by the Transport Regula- S at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on tions need be shipped.

ance of Troops,

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Hongkong, January 30, 1868. NEW HOTEL. 58 & 60. Wellington Street. ON the First of February will be O opened A NEW HOTEL, at the above address. It will be conducted upon entirely novel principles, by observing which the Proprietors, while securing to themselves a sufficient remuneration, will be able to afford the general public Board and Lodging at a rate never before heard of in Hongkong. The situation of the Hotel is first class. and the Rooms, which are very commodious, are very comfortably fitted. Hongkong, January 30, 1869.

WANTED. GERMAN CLERK, to go to one of A the Southern Ports. Apply to A. B. C., care of "China Mail"

India in Council, Calcutta, both at 30 days' Office. Hongkong, January 30, 1869.

> HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. MOTICE is hereby given, that the Orcredit of the Commissariat Account at the I dinary Half-yearly Meeting of the Oriental Bank Corporation, where a re- SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION ceipt will be given, on production of which | will be held at the Head Office of the BANK, Queen's Roud, Hongkong, on MONDAY, In order to save time, it is requested that | the 15th day of February proximo, at Two the sets of Bills required may be detailed in o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the margin of the Tender, and it is particu- the Report of the Court of Directors, tolarly requested that the Tenders may be in gether with a statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1868.

By order of the Court of Directors. VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manuger. Hongkong, January 27, 1869,

Auetions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. THE Undersigned has received in-

Terrace, on FRIDAY.

the 5th February, 1869, at Noon. On view on and after the 4th instant The whole of his Household Furniture, comprising. Damask Covered Chairs and Condier, Houseway - Wardonse, Side

Dinner and Dessert Sets, Glassware, A Sewing Machine.

A Croquet Set and Stand. Two Sedan Chairs. A quantity of Plants. TERMS of SALE.—Cash before delivery

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 1, 1869.

n Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

PUBLIC AUCTION. HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNITURE:

ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. hav received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at 10, Lyndhurst Ter-

TUESDAY,

9th Inst., at Noon,--The following Office and Household URNITURE, viz. :-

Drawing Room suite, including Couches, Chairs, &c., Cromo Lithographs, red Damask window Curtains and Brass Poles, side Tables, Book Cases and Li-Clocks, double brass Bedstead Bedding &c., English made Mahogany Wardrobe, Cheval Glass, Iron Couch Bagatelle Table, with Cues &c., complete Dessert and Dinner Services, Cutlery Glassware, Dining Table, Chairs, Side-

Office Desks, Milner's fire-proof safe, Map, copying Press, handsonie Mirrors. 1 Organ with three extra Rollers,

(If not previously disposed of) 1 handsome Buggy, by Simpson & Co. 1 Chestnut Galloway, with silvermounted Harness, complete. TERMS or SALE.—Cash before delivery

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. transfer to be paid by the purchaser. Storekeeper, and bear in the left hand cor- description, at purchaser's risk on the fall chaser from the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, February 1, 1869.

H. B. M. Gunboats "HARDY" and "DRAKE" will be QOLD BY AUCTION

TUESDAY the 9th February, 1869, (unless previously disposed of by private agreement).

The Hardy is of 233 tons and 60 h. power. The following are the articles to be sold with each vessel, viz ;--With the "Hurdy," Hull complete.

No masts or yards, 2 Anchors. 1124 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete, with Iron Stan-

chions. Davits for 2 Boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet. 4 Cars and Awning.

2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete). A pair of 30 Horse Power, high pressure engines by Messrs. MAUDSLAY, Sons and FIELD, in fair working order. A set of 3 boilers, considerably worn but repairable. Spare Gear.

Cylinder Cover. ... 1 in No. Cross Head. Eccentric Ring, Piston and Rod. Propeller (brass). ... 1 Rod connecting, complete, Feed pump rod, ... 1 Bilge do do

With the " Drake," Masta complete. Yards Rigging do. 1 Anchor: 100 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete. Davits for 3 boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet 2 Oars.

2 Downton's Pamps. All standing Sails, but square foresail, A 40 Horse Power high pressure engine by Messrs. Penn and Sons, in good work-

The boilers of this vessel have been taken balance.

Spare Gear. 🔻 Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No. Eccentric Ring (brass), ... 1 ,, "m a. 1 ,, , m . m 1 , Plumber block brauses, Propeller (brass), ... 1 in No. Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ... 1 Bilge do. do. ... 1 ,, do. ... ,., 1 A. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper.

Hongkong, November 27, 1868,

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Property at Foochow, known as struction to sell by Public Auction, sale by Public Auction, in June next, at the residence of the late W. W. Hot- unless previously disposed of by private

The Property consists of DWELLING HOUSE, containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms, with Servants' Offices and Stables detached; the whole surrounded by a Garden.

Spacious Tea Room, with fire-proof Godowns, large Treasury, and Compradore's Rooms below, Servants' Offices &c., at-

Three large Godowns, A, B, and C, adjoining the above This property has water frontage, is situated in the most eligible portion of the business quarter of Foochow, and is let on a Repairing Lease for 5 years, is required by the Egyptian Government, and commencing from the 1st May next, at

Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pedder's

Hongkong, February 26, 1869. je30

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received in-

structions from the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction, on

the 3rd of March 1869, at Noon, on the Premises, under the power of sale contained in the deed of Mortgage,-

For further particulars, apply to the

TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the pure J. M. ARMSTRONG

Hongkong, January 7, 1869.

Entertainments.

GRAND CARNIVAL BAL MASQUE S Y'CATITIES PRODUCT THEATRE LUSITANO.

TO take place on TUESDAY NIGHT, the 9th instant, at 9 o'clock.

PRICES OF ADMISSION: A box to hold six,.....\$8. & Co., Messrs Bowra & Co., and at the door of the Theatre.

Doors will be opened at half past 8 Hongkong, February 1, 1869.

Banks,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-Geo. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Julius Menke. Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. A. Juost, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNGANSON, W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq.

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Managers. Hongkong, . . VICTOR KRESSER, Enq.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits .-For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.

,, 6 ,, 4 per cent. ,, ,, ,, 12 ,, 5 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager Offices of the Corporation, No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

OFFICES AND GODOWNS A House containing 4 Offices and on TUESDAY, 9th Febrilary, at 9 A.M. on board until Noon, and SPECIE until

the annual rental of \$4,500 For further particulars, apply at the

WEDNESDAY,

That spacious, handsome and conveniently situated DWELLING HOUSE on CAINE ROAD, built on Inland Lot 157. with the Qut Offices and extensive Ground attached. The Lot measures on the North and Northwest 136 feet, on the South (Caine Road) 132 feet, on the East 346 feet and on the West 331 feet, the total area being 45,103 square feet The ground rent is \$199.48 per annum.

AND CALCUTTA. THE Company's Steam-ship "CAM-BODGE," Commandant DESFAUDAIS, will leave this Port, for the above places, chase money to be paid on the fall of the | with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, hammer, the balance on completion of and CARGO, on MONDAY, the 25th Inst., the deed of transfer. All expenses of at 2 P.M. Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until

P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they | Port. must be left at the Agency's Office.) For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office Hongkong, CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.



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Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaise, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France.

Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West.

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For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 1, 1869. OR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM Captain Auston, will leave NAVIGATION COMPANY'S "Steam-ship Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and for the above ports, on Thursday, the 4th instant, at 8 A.M. Cargo, will leave this for the above places, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 1, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE-AND BOMBAY (If sufficient inducement offers.) The steam-ship "CALIFORNIAN."

will have quick despatch as For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, January 26, 1869. FOR MANILA, The Spanish brig "CONSTANCIA," will have quick despatch as For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 1, 1869. FOR SAIGON. The British ship Capt. Courtenay, will have into

mediate despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 29, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The Amr. Ship Captain Ferguson, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 29, 1869. FOR YOKOHAMA.

The A 1 North German barque Capt. Von Rity quick despatch. Capt. Von RITTERN, will have For Light Freight or Passage, apply to EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, January 26, 1869.

FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig "GRAVINA." A BARCELO, Master, will have immediate despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, January 20, 1069. FOR SAIGON. The A 1 British ship OCEAN EMPRESS,"
McDonaur, Master, will have

quick despatch for the above For Freight, apply to Hongkong, January 7, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the " Marie." The British ship "GOLDEN HORN." Captain Rice, will have early despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

KUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1868, FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The Dutch baroue "ZEPHYR." Capt. OUSTRUM, will have quick despatch for the above ports. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

S. S. "NIGER," FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above vessel are requested to send in their

The Cargo will be stored in Godown C.

Con's, and will be ready for delivery on Monday next, the 1st February. THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, January, 29, 1869.

NOTICE. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last, Mr Tobias Pim, Mr WILLIAM NISBET OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY AFE authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong

and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 6, 1868. NOTICE.

AR. WILLIAM JUDSON BLYDENBURGH. Mr GEORGE HURLBUT are admitted partners in our Firm, 100 1217 Mr. Heney Curter Low will sign our Firm per procuration. SMITH ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

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Notices of Firms

THE interest and responsibility of Mr GEORG WILHELM SOHWEMANN and of Mr Rudolph Heinsen in our firm ceased on the 31st December 1867, and 31st December 1868 respectively.

Mr FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr Hein-RIGH Hoppius have this day been admitted partners in our firm at Hongkong and in China, which now consists of Mr Georg THEODOR SIEMSSEN, Mr WOLDEMAR NIS-BEN. Mr ADOLPH JOOST, Mr FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINRICH HOPPICS. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

IOHN CARNEGIE, M.D., C.M., M.A. e ceased to be a partner in the firm of JONES, CARNEGIE & SCOTT at Amoy an Swatow on the 31st December 1868. -- In reference to the above the undersigned hereby intimate that they will continue to carry on the above Medical Co-partnership under the name of Jones, Scott &

C. M. JONES, FR C.S., L.R.C.P. C. M. SCOTT, L.R.C.S.I.

O Ind AUG. MÜLLER, M.D., M.B.C.S., L.S.A. January 25, 1869.

NUTICE. 17 E have this day established ourselves at this Port as Merchants and Commission Agents in connection with Messrs D. B. Menta & Co. of Calcutta. Mr RUSTOMJEE SORAB EE WOONWALLA is authorized to sign our Firm in Hong-

"RUSTOMJEE DHUNJEEBHOY & Co Office No. 7, Hollywood Road. Hongkong, January 12, 1869.

HE interest and responsibility of Mi ABRAHAM DAVID EZEKIEL, in our Firm in China, ceased on the 31st December last; and Mr CHARLES ELIAS SASSOON has been admitted a partner therein from En determinate & E. D. SASSOON & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1869. HAVE this day authorised Mr Landdon Davies to sign my name per procuration to all orders for goods supplied to the Hongkong Hotel, and I alone am

liable to pay for goods supplied upon such 1 have further authorised Mr Davies to collect all debts due to me on Hotel account, for which his receipt will be a sufficient discharge. LEE AFOONG.

Hongkong, December 1, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES.

Hongkong, July 1, 1868. NOTICE. FROM and after this date Mr George F. Bowman will act as AGENT of the

Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this ound, then president S. L. PHELPS, Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

.00 % Alle NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867.

of zers in Notice. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr (more or less damaged by sea water.) FREDERICK PEDDER in our Firm

ceases from this date.

H. D. BROWN & Co. Amoy, December 31, 1868. A.R. FRANCIS CHOMLEY is a Partner in

our Firm, which from this date will be conducted under the Name of BROWN H. D. BROWN & Co. Amoy, January 1, 1869.

NOTICE. R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE 4th February, 1869, at 11 o'clock A.M. is authorised to sign our Firm per at Messrs Bourjau, Hubener & Co.'s procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

ATE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

R D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm, Vi and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr.E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners

RUSSELL & Co. China, January 1, 1869.

For Sale.

JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE. NE of Julius LAYLAND & Co.'s celebrated HARMONIUMS, with ten stops, in walnut case. Apply to

J. B. MORRIS, Queen's Road. Hongkong, January 29, 1869.

FOR SALE. AMESSRS. ROEDERER & Co.'s, Reims IVI CHAMPAGNE CARTE BLANCHE.

, noire. GLADIATEUR. Bole Agents for Hongkong and China. no Messrs, SANDERS & Co. Hongkong, January 28, 1869.

FOR SALE Ex Late Andvals. DEST Hoth's Rope, from 2 in. to 10 in. Die doile do Boltrope, 14 bockes don ido. Lanyard, do. Seizing-stuff and Ratline,

6 thrd. to 24 thrd. 218 22 do. do. Signal Halliards. do. Loglines. Wire Rope, from 1 in. to 41 in. Rive tons of Hubback's White Zinc Paint

Best J. H. H. Gin, in white square bottles, 1 doz. cases, Holland Gin in small and large bottles. Muntz's yellow Metal, from 18 oz. to 26

French Salad Oil tue mais true A H. L. FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, January 28, 1869.

Fer Sale.

Ex "SHAKSPERE." 'HAMPAGNE, very dry (genuine) 1868 Benj. Eug. PERRIER. 35 cases quarts. 15 cases pints.

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, January 22, 1869. CENTRAL SOCIETY COGNAC.

ON SALE. FEW Cases of the above, just arrived ex Shakspeare. In one dozen Cases, \$8 each. Apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, January 26, 1869.

IUST ARRIVED EX CRESTED WAVE FROM LONDON.

HYE & BURBIDGE'S PALE SHERRIES in Bottle, 1 dozen each Case,

PORT in Bottle (old, light and silky) 1847, \$12 per dozen. G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, January, 21, 1869.

New Advertisements

FOR SALE. Just arrived, ex Overland Mail Steamer "CHINA." RIME OVERLAND HAM.

Do. Dutch HLRRINGS, in Kits 100 cases Eidam OHEESE, each 1 doz. L. FRICKEL & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1869. 3 MASTED SCHOONER "CLIPPER,

FROM HAMBURG. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for outposts, during the year commencing 1st countersignature, and to take immediate April, 1869. delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense, by MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, January 30, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. HE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY. the 4th February, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at his Sales Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings,-

The remainder of an Invoice of Oil Stores, comprising Worcester Sauce, Vinegar, Pickles, Salad Oil. Cheese etc.

25 gross Wax Vestas. 12 pieces fancy Stuff. 100 boxes yellow Soan.

50 gross clay Pipes. 25 cases Brandy. 30 cases Sherry.

50. Hams. 50 doz, transparent Slides. The balance of an Invoice of American

Tobacco, say 10 cases. An assortment of driving and riding Whips. A few barrels of Beef and Pork,

(For account of the concerned,)

1 bale, 50 pieces Grey Shirtings,— TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1 7. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 2, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell apr2 Public Auction, on

THURSDAY.

For account of the concerned,

Ex " Southern Cross." 62/63 \ 18 bales (each 50 \rightarrow heart $\begin{pmatrix} 69/77 \end{pmatrix}$

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(All more or less damaged by sea water.) TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery july2 in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, February 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the RE- Troop-ship "Adventure."—A Good PORATION will be CLOSED from the 1st | thorough knowledge of their work; to the 15th day of February next (both | days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered. VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 27, 1869. HONGKONG ATHLETIC SPORTS. HE above will be held on the Cricket Ground on THURSDAY, 11th Feb-

ruary, commencing at 1 P.M. Lists are lying in the Hongkong and United Clubs. and at Messes Lane, CRAWFORD & Co.'s. Entrance for Mile Race,.....\$2. for all others,.....\$1. Entries to close on Saturday, 6th Feb. G. HEARD, Esq.

ruary, at 5 pm.
REGINALD D. ST., RKEY, Hon, Sec. Hongkong, January 21, 1869 THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COM-

PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE. AN and after the 1st of February next Rates for Chinese Passengers to or from Canton will be \$1 for lower deck and \$1 50 for upper deck passage. Full fare will be charged to Naval and Military Officers and half fare to Missionaries on both the Canton and Macao lines.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, January 26, 1869.

By order of the Board of Directors.

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE Dividend at the rate of \$12 % per annum or \$4.50 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of the Shareholders held on the 20th instant, will be payable on and after MONDAY the Order. 25th instant. Shareholders are requested to apply at the Office of the undersigned for

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents.

Hongkong, January 21, 1869.

DOARD and RESIDENCE at No. 5, D-BONHAM ROAD, W. Good Accommo-THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, January 29, 1869.

Hougkong, January 18, 1869.

OD.—Since you left us things deeply D concerning you have happened. Come home: or at least give opportunity of communicating with you. - ARTHUR.

ARMY CONTRACT, 1869, 1870. CEALED TENDERS in duplicate, marked outside "Tenders for Army Contracts." will be received by the undersigned until Noon on MONDAY, the 15th February, 1869, from persons willing to contract for such quantities of Commissariat supplies, Hospital Supplies, or for the performance of Barrack and Hospital services, such as washing and repairing Bedding,

Utensils, &c., as may from time to time be required for the use of Her Majesty's Troops in the Island of Hongkong or its Forms of Tender (no other than those issued by the Commissariat will be received) and Conditions of Contract, with any further information that may be required, can be obtained on application to the Com-

missariat, Barrack, or Purveying Departments, for the respective supplies and services. Each Tender to be signed by two responsible persons, willing to become surety for the party tendering.

The right of rejecting the lowest or any Tender is reserved. REDMOND UNIACKE Dept. Commis. Gen.

Controller's Office, Commissariat, Hongkong, January 16, 1869.

BILLIARDS, BOWLS, AND

HE ORIENTAL BAR, BILLIARD ROOMS, and Bowling Alleys, having been enlarged and fitted up in a very superior style unequalled by any in the Colony, the Proprietors Re-open the above on Monday, the 11th January, 1869, to their friends and the public, and trust with civility, GOOD Liquors and the well-known reputation of this old-established House, to merit a share of their patronage. There are three first class Billiard Tables in a large airy and well-lighted room. The Bowling Alley needs no comment.

BROWN & Co., Proprietors. Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

THE Undersigned hereby inti- hands. mates that he has this day received the appointment of Sur-VEYOR to FRENCH LLOYDS under date of December 22nd,

ROBT. McMURDO.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869. HONGKONG HOTEL. 'HIS HOTEL will be conducted under a I new arrangement commencing on the Ast of December. The Charges for Board will remain as follow :--Board, \$45 a month. Tiffin only, \$15 a pieces) 84 lbs. | month Dinners only, \$30 a month. One

Shirt- Breakfast or one Tiffin, 80 cents. Dinner, \$1.25. There is an excellent assortment of wines for sale at moderate prices.

The Charges for Lodging will be very considerably reduced. Rooms are offered to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40, (ccasional Visitors are charged \$4 a day for their Rooms with or without board. There is an ample supply of Bathrooms

Hougkong, November 28, 1868. WANTED.

and Gas is laid on throughout the house.

FOR the General Mess on board H. M. GISTER of SHARES of the COR- COOK. Persons applying must have a Apply on Board.

> Hongkong, January 8, 1869. SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT.

W. Keswick, | —. Forbes, Esq. Directors

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Hon. W. KESWICK, Chairman. W. MACAULAY, Esq. | H. G. THOMSETT. G. J. HELLAND, Esq. | Esq., R.M. ONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, News-

papers, Clothes, &c., will be most hankfully received. A. OVERBURY, Superintendent, Hougkong, October 29, 1868.

L'MPLOYMENT WANTED, by a young MAN, (English) aged 30, of business habits, and several years experience in Hongkong. Apply by letter, "A. B. C.," care of Office of this Paper. Hongkong, December 26, 1868.

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG | OTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

LL Orders for Goods Supplied to or work done for the Hotel must signed by the Secretary of the Company The Company will not undertake to pay for any Goods Supplied without such

By order of the Board of Directors, C. LANGDON DAVIES, Secretary. Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

NOTICE, HE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCUI STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

in various forms, to any part of the Co-Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice. Also Vater, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound.

Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Saleatus and Cream TARTAR, FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messra MacEwen & Co.'s will receive prompt attention.

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

SAYLE & Co.,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE. QUEEN'S ROAD,

SESPECTFULLY solicit inspection of their New GOUDS, in the following Departments.

SILKS. Eevning Dresses - Velvets. RIBBONS. -- Fancy Dresses

HOSIERY. - Trimmings, HABERDASHERY. — Prints. Manchester MANTLES.

— Jackets. BONNETS. - Ladies' Outfits BABY LINEN.

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PERFUMERY, &c. lousehold Linens- Blankets.

CARPETS. FURNISHING DRAPERY. Etc., Etc.

P.S.—The Dress-making, Millinerand Tailoring are under the Supery intendence of experienced West End

Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. Feb. 2, Fung Shuey, Amer. steamer, 948, Thebaud, Manila, Jan. 30, General.—A Heard & Co. Feb. 2, Yokohama, French ship, 886, P. Blouet, Yokohama, Jan. 19, Ballast,-

Feb. 2, Charlotte H. Andrews, British barone, 355 J. Vandervord, Swatow, 1st Feb., Ballast.—Captain.

Pekin, for San Francisco. Louise, for Whampon. Cutty Sark, for Bangkok.

Aurora, for Sydney. PASSENGERS. ARRIVED -Per Str. Fung Shuey, from Manila :- Messers Paul West, J. M. Martin, Louis Petel, E. Miller, D. R. James Dr. E. Wood, Jose Gareio y Arnedo Antonio Matin y Hierra, Victor Garcio Seguro, and 150 Chinese for Amoy. Per Charlotte H. Andrews, Mr Firth.

The following European passengers arri ved here from Canton this afternoon :-Messra W. F. Mayers and Kirchhoff.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The S. S. Fung Shuey, E. Thebaud commander, reports left Manila, Jan. 30, at 3.30 p.m.; had fine weather the entire passage (70 hours)

Monkchester, Br. bq. left London on August 13th and the Downs on the 14th experienced light winds and variables until | Bank, 6 months' sight, ... gaining the N.E. trades, in lat. 28 N. on ber, after which experienced S. and S. W. 18th got the S.E. trades, which were mostly Sycee, 6½ a 7. S.S. t. to S.E. by E; passed the meridian of Mexicans, ... par. trades, wind varying from N. E. to S. W.; English Sovereigns, ... 4.62 passed St. Pauls Island November 12th; pass. Australian Sovereigns, ... 4.55 ed Savu Island, Omby Passage, on 8th Decem. Discount, ... 9 a 10 ber ; cleared Gillilo Passage, on 22nd De. H. & W. Dock, Old, 9 p. c. dis.; New, 21 cember; after which experienced a continu- H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 80 p. c. p. ation of squally weather and heavy seas | Do. do. New, 9 a 91 ,, anchored off Lightship January 19th, arriv. Union Dock ... ing at Shanghai on the 22nd,

13th Sep., with strong S. W. wind; then until crossing the equator on the 10th Octlight N.E. wind; passed the meridian of the Cape on the 12th November and ran down eastings in lat. 41, then blowing very strong from the W., made Sandalwood Island on the 17th December, and was there becalmed for 4 days; passed through Ombay Straits on the 23rd and was 4 days in com-

pany with the Sir Lancelot; cleared the Gillolo passage on the 4th January, and from thence until making Video strong N. E. wind, then to the Barren Islands strong N.W. wind; took pilot on board off the Amburst Rocks on the 21st, 128 days out,

and arrived at Shanghai on the 25th. On the 21st December, in long 129 E., spoke the Mindora, from Bangkok for Hongkong. Sanderson, Brit. bq. left Cardiff on the 1st

August with a light breeze from the E., then light variable winds; afterwards; until crossing equator on the 11th September in long 20.13 W:, moderate S.E. wind; from thence until passing the Meridian of the Cape on the 24th Oct., strong N. by W. wind; ran down eastings in 40; from thence to Gillolo passage light variable winds; cleared the Straits on the 26th Dec. with light variable winds, which continued until reaching 16 N.: thence to Laconia moderate N.E. wind and from thence until reaching Shanghai, on the 26th Jan., moderate N. wind and thick rainy weather.

W. E. Gladsone, Br. bq., left Gravesend on the 16th Sept, and the Downs on the 17th; crossed the equator on the 22nd Oct. and the meridian of the Cape on the 19th November, made Cape Blackwood, Sandalwood Island, on the 26th Dec.; passed through Ombay Straits in the 28th and cleared the Gillolo passage in the 3rd Jan. arriving at Shanghai on the 27th. Spoke the following vessels; on the 25th Dec. in Ombey passage the Annie Braginton, from London for Shanghai; the Albany, from Glasgow for Hongkong, and British Screw steamer Ho-Sha Mara, under convas, from Aberdeen for Nagasaki; on the 3rd Jan. spoke the Spanish brig Ignacio, from Singapore for Manila, 48 days out, and supplied her with provisions.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS WILL CLOSE:— For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,-Per "Yesso," on Thursday, the 4th instant, at 7.30 A.M. For SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.—

Per "ZEPHYR," on Wednesday, the 3rd instant, at 4 P.M. For SAN FRANCISCO. Per "GOLDEN HORN," on Friday, the 5th instant, at 4 P.M. FOR MELBOURE & SYDNEY. Per Ship "LYTTLETON," on Friday,

the 5th Instant, at 3 P.M. For MANILA. Per "GRAVINA," on Thursday next, the 4th instant, at 3 P.M.

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Via Southampton. Under 4 ounce, - - - 12 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - - 24 ,, Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce. - - 36 ... Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounces, - - 48

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Above 12 ounce and not ex-

ceeding 16 ounce, - - - 64 ,, For every additional 4 oz., 16 Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory in each case. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, June 18 1868. IT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or any of the Ports in Chiua and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is | duction. reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

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Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, July 15, 1868. UNDER DESPATCH.

For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per Yesso, on Thursday, the 4th instant, at 8 on Wednesday, the 3rd instant For San Francisco.—Per Golden Horn on Friday, the 5th instant, For Melbourne and Sydney.—Per Lyt

the 4th instant. QUOTATIONS

tleton, on Friday, the 5th inst.

Hongkong, 2nd February, 1869.)PIUM.—Patna, New,... \$6482 Benares, New. Malwa, ... SHANGHAE, ... 39 a 20 BOMBAY, - 17-a 21 (Exchange.

JOHN DENT, H. G. THOMSETT, August 22nd; lost them on the 4th Septem. On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 222 a 2225 ", Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 222 a 2225 wind until reaching the equator, which was ,, Shanghae, S'days' sight, Bank, Tls. 74 other foreigners in China. ero sed in long 26.37 W.; on September | Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 9 nominal. the Cape on the 25th October, had a success Gold Leaf, 22.90 a 23. sion of bad weather after leaving the S. E. Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 22.70 a 23.00

> 30 p. c. dis. Temperature. Hongkong, 2nd February, 1869. Western Chief, Brit. sh., left London on | (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry,

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4 Р. н., Dry, . . . 65 Wet, . 621 Self-registered Maximum. Min. over night, $\mathbf{Do}_{\mathbf{0}}$ BAROMETER - 9 A.M.

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BIRTH.

February 1, at her residence, 12 Wynd-

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, FEB. 2, 1869.

REPORTS OF TRADE FOR 1867. THE Reports of Trade for 1867, issued nearly a year after date, have at length come to hand, and the opportunity is afforded of examination and criticism. We are willing to confess that in no previous year has a compilation of such general interest and value been given to the public, and are therefore the less disposed to grumble at the great delay which has taken place. Whether, however, the mercantile community, for whose benefit these reports are primarily issued, are likely to place the improved literary merits of the volume against the withholding of important statistics for so many months we cannot say. Our province is to note the character of the papers' published as throwing a light upon the business and general characteristics of certain ports, and as documents for future reference; and taken as such we may fairly assert that they are well worth the trouble taken in their pro-

The volume contains reports from

Newchwang, Tientsin, Chefoo, Kiukiang, Chinkeang, Ningpo, Foochow, Amoy, Tamsui, Takow, and finally Canton Hankow, Shanghai, and Kelung being oddly enough, omitted. Not the least interesting portion of the collection is an appendix of papers containing amongst others a geographical sketch of Hainan from the pen of Mr E. C. Taintor. Almost all the papers, however, bear the impress of an effort to render them something more than a dry detail of statistics, and, for For Sydney & Melbourne. - Per Zephyr, | the most part, shew a fair amount of success. From Mr Macpherson's report on Newchwang, copions extracts have already appeared in our columns, quoted from our North China contemporaries. For Manila.—Per Gravina, on Thursday. It is decidedly the most complete resumé of the characteristics of that neighbourhood which has yet been given to the public, and contains in itself a variety of matter for suggestive comment. One particular alluded to by Mr Macpherson, we cannot resist noticing—the fact that Russia by a treaty, made in May, 1858, possesses the right of navigating all the affluents of the Amoor. This as bearing upon the general question of inland navigation in China proper may some day possess significance. In fact there are many points in which the Russian treaty might advantageously be examined for precedents as regards the position of

This, however, is a digression, and we must return to the reports. Mr Dick's report of Tientsin gives but little geographical information, but affords some useful hints to those who deplore the increasing transfer of trade from foreign to native hands. A decrease, on the preceding year, of imports, exports and consequently of tonnage entered and cleared, appears at this port for 1867. As however with other reports we must postpone any detailed notice of Mr Dick's remarks. Mr Luson's report from Chefoo which also shews a "considerable diminution" in the value of the trade, is chiefly remarkable for its resume of rebel movements in Shantung during the last six months of the year—details which will possess value to any future compiler 30.120 of the "Revolutionary History" of . 30.038 China. Kiukiang (the report from which

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A REMINISCENCE OF

HONGKONG.

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Colonel Caine was never ready.

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DIRECTORY JAPAN PINES, &c., B**9.**

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We are glad to state that the Band of the Rodney will play to-morrow in the Public Gardens, commencing at half-past three effort has been made to collect informa o'clock p.m.

to give Europeans on the spot the go-by, tow on Sunday morning. Everything

of Shanghae. Mr Leonard, the Com- This afternoon, a visitation of the Clergy missioner at Ningpo has some startling of this Diocese was held in the Cathedral. remarks on "The daily abuse of the and a Charge delivered by the Lord Bishop. We shall give an outline of the Charge to-morrow.

Transit-pass system" but otherwise neither his report, nor that from Chinkeang, calls for special notice. Mr Lay, MR. HOLWORTHY'S MURDERERS. in charge of Foochow, presents us with As we have already mentioned, someperhaps the fullest commercial report in thing has been done in the matter of the the volume. His paper deals exhaust- detection and capture of the murderers of ively with the foreign and coast trade Mr W. W. Holworthy. Certain mysteterday, and facts of a most conclusive nature were fully given forth as having come some novel and interesting information best of hands. It must be admitted, howference is made to the disability under ever, by every one versed in such matters, which the iron trade labours—a disability that the present case was one of almost un- nation of the limited success of the Society | the summons had not been served. Bearcely known to the general public, but precedented difficulty; and little, if anything during the past year by saying that the the fact that defendant in the present acmost injurious to the interests of Amoy. of a definite character was looked for until a former Secretary fell sick and had to leave tion had summoned Mr Fischer for this It is, we believe, the only Chinese port month or three weeks had passed. That for England. Touching the work of missement, as work done by him for Mr Fiswe have to report a result very different sionaries, he thoroughly endorsed what H. | cher, was an inference that he held himwhere the privilege of dealing in iron is and far beyond expectations is matter for | E. had said regarding the special discrecongratulation to the community, and of tion and wisdom requisite for labours share his hope that so obsolete a regular credit to all concerned. By a judicious, amongst the Chinese. Still he believed, clever and quiet manipulation of the proper and Consul Medhurst bore him out in sayusual offers an inexhaustible field for re- machinery, tracks have been followed and ling, that Mr Taylor was not to blame in marks "outside" of mere trading statistics traces been carefully examined; and the the Yangchow affair; and he believed that result, as we have said, is so far satisfac- the missionaries generally had behaved tory. It is believed that the man who themselves wisely and kindly. He conactually committed the Gap murder, and cluded by moving the adoption of the the two men who assisted at that terribly report. cruel business, are now in custody; and the serted, the purpose of the Gambling License | doings. be mainly anti-criminal, it must be confessed that those interested in that monopoly have done their utmost on the present occasion to further the ends of justice. _Two of the

men now in custody (one of whom is an Twenty years ago Colonel Caine, then ugly, branded ruffian) were captured in Macao as early as yesterday forenoon by Mr Lieut. Governor of this Colony instituted Caldwell and his assistants; and one of the to the operations of the society during that criminal proceedings against Mr Tarrant accomplices (or supposed accomplices) was on a charge of conspiring with certain caught in Hongkong. The narrative of the recognises, in the many urgent claims on Chinese to falsely accuse him of malchase and capture is interesting enough, the society's agency, a powerful motive for practices in his high office. We find and may possibly appear in some form by increased zeal and liberality, that resources mention of it in a pamphlet written by and by. It is enough for us at present to may be furnished commensurate with the say that three men are in custody against great work yet to be accomplished." Mr Chisholm Anstey in 1859, and it is amusing to read how circumstances fa- whom it is hoped that evidence may be brought which will clear up the mysterious voured Col. Caine in his reluctance to tragedy which has absorbed public interest with the trial. Says Mr for the last nine days.

INTERESTING TO JURYMEN. An inquest; which was opened about a fortnight since, when the body was viewed and buried, was resumed on Saturday last pursuant to adjournment, when Mr John M'Nulty, one of the jurors, failed to appear, and was fined by the Coroner in the sum of \$20. Yesterday afternoon, the same inquiry was resume , when another delay and adjournment were occasioned by the absence of Mr E. Lilley, foreman of A Mr Molloy Campbell, a personal friend the Jury. Mr Stewart, the Coroner, asked | presiding (proposed by Rev. John Kyle. of the Lieutenant-Governor, was, at that | an explanation from Mr M'Nulty, the ab- | and seconded by the Lord Bishop), His | sentee of the former day, why he failed to | Excellency said that the subscriptions for To him, at length, Mr Tarrant's Attor- attend; to which the juror replied (and last year were not a fair representation of was as much as 10½ feet water in her hold. however, thinking probably that the addi- rence of yesterday, but from what has been ney gave notice of his intention to move offered to state on oath) that he was sud- the known liberality of the community of the Court for his client's discharge, unless | denly seized with "gripes" in his stomach. | Hongkong. By a balance sheet it was brought to trial forthwith. The ground In consideration of this alleged sickness found that the Association was in debt was, that Colonel Caine's Comprador, for and certain services occasionally rendered some \$283:19. whom all this delay was prayed, was ascer- as a juryman in cases at the Civil Hospital, tained to be living quietly within Llong- Mr M'Nulty's fine was remitted. Mr E. Lilley having been called, after a lapse of The application being made, the Chief about half-an-hour, was fined in the full Justice expressed a strong opinion of the penalty of \$50; which, failing sufficient unfairness of all these proceedings, but ad- cause shown, will be exacted, as a warning bery yesterday-in which a Chinese mervised Mr Tarrant, instead of accepting his to others. The inquiry was to meet again | chant's sampan was robbed of \$18 and discharge, to stand his trial at an approach- (for the fourth time) this evening at 4 other articles by a party of armed robbers

ing Session. The Acting Attorney Gene- o'clock. ral having undertaken to bring on the case Mr Lilley, in reply to the Coroner, stated he immediately proceeded in search. was, therefore, reinstated, without delay, ed to. About a quarter past four, he dis- security of \$100 for three months. covered the time of evening, and at once But, during His Honor's absence from | went up to the Magistracy, but found that | Cheong Asun and Chung-hing-kwei with the Colony, the Acting Attorney General he was too late. -Mr Stewart remarked that he would consult the Magistrate on of cable from a fast-boat anchored off West The still untried Mr Tarraut, appeared | the point, and do what he could to remit at the Sessions appointed. But the Acting | a half of the penalty imposed; but he could

alleging the indelicacy of sitting, as Acting | penalty of \$25 would not be exacted. Judge, upon an information signed by The evidence was then proceeded with; before, both prisoners admitted having which went to show that a seaman named | stolen the anchor and cable. -Mr May sen-It was replied, that the delicacy did him Jacobsen, belonging to the barque Japan, tenced each of the prisoners to six months' bonor; but that it had not prevented him was found drowned near Kowloong Docks. hard labor, and ordered them to find secufrom trying at the same Session, sundry He had expressed a desire to have his rity for three months thereafter in the prisoners, whose case, in that respect, was discharge, had frequently refused to work sum of \$25 each. the same as Mr Tarrant's; and that he (Mr and had been more than once before the Ahmat, a Malay seaman on board the Tarrant) was quite willing to waive all ob- Harbor Master in consequence. The schooner Mag, ie, was brought up and jection on the score of delicacy, if delicacy captain missed deceased on the 7th Jan., charged with having administered deletethere was in the case, and to proceed at and he was found drowned on the 15th. rious drugs to a fellow-seaman named Doo-About \$43 were due to him. No reason lak. It appears that the prisoner had quar-The Acting Chief Justice, however, percould be given for this desire to leave the relled with the complainant, and as a sisted in the refusal; and, as there was no | yessel, and the Consul at that time (Mr | reprisal had purchased some poisonous or Hockmeyer) did not think that any further deleterious beans and mixed them with other Judge in the island, the case was inquiry by the Consular authorities into | complainant's rice and other condiments, the cause of death would be of any use. from the effects of which mixture complainfor the time, has not as yet been fortunate Deceased was frequently drunk.—The Cor- ant fell sick. Witnesses were called who oner remarked that it was somewhat remark- saw the pounding of the beans and the able that all trace of a European like deceased mixture thereof; and Captain Bowman should be lost from the 7th to the 15th; but stated what he knew of the affair. Prisoner he was perfectly prepared to either leave the had also given it out as his intention to incase in the Jury's hands or adjourn it, as jure the complainant, though he now denied

> upon him at the time. A verdict of "Found Drowned" was then returned; and the Coroner observed prisoners are now charged) occupied the that, although he could not but agree with the Jury's verdict, still he would say that The Court was sitting at 5 p.m., and the case he never closed an inquiry with less satisfaction, especially in view of the fact that facts, as it may be remembered, are that, deceased was a European.

THE Covlon Observer observes—"The Indo-European line seems improving. Renter's telegrams have reached us regularly lately by the passengers that the Captain with news occasionally only two days from history repeats itself! We need not re- | London. But all this is excelled by the tol the latest instance, but the history of expedition with which a telegram from a Hongkong so far seems to indicate that Colombo firm was transmitted at the end of November. It was despatched on the afternoon of 29th November and they now learn that it was actually received in London on the morning of the 30th. The message must therefore have gone from Colombo to

talk coolly of such feats now, but men liv- SUNMARY JURISDICTION COURT. vince where they were met by a deputation ing remember the time when the receipt of advices in 90 days was considered very

WE learn that the screw steamer West Indian, 1,809 tons, has been chartered means by which the Chinese work their By the Charlotte H. Andrews, which left early this month for a voyage from Bushire for plaintiff in \$38. combinations to oust foreigners from the Swatow yesterday, we learn that the men- to Hongkong to carry 700 tons cargo, prinimport trade, as also the manner in which of-war were still there at the time of her cipally Opium, with liberty to call at they avail themselves of the steamer traffic departure, Admiral Keppel reached Swa- Penang and Singapore to fill up for the owner's benefit. She may therefore be expected at Singapore shortly.—Observer, Jan.

ADXILIARY BIBLE SOCIETY. We regret that, through an oversight on the part of our reporter, our yesterday's issue contained no notice of the annual meeting of the Hongkong Branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society, held he informed the defendant more than once during the afternoon. His Excellency the, that he had done them for him and not for Governor presided, and the report having Mr lischer. been read proceeded to address the meeting. We gather from the report in our rious movements were freely spoken of yes- contemporary that H. E. spoke somewhat discouragingly of the first year's results of | to have some alterations done to his billiardthe working of the local branch, but exto light—to somebody. The high re- pressed a hope that a brighter and more cher had said to him, when he asked about and of the native banks. The general wards offered, coupled with the peculiarly prosperous future was before the associaremarks and supplement, though destitute strong public reasons why the murderers tion. He spoke of the prudence and cau- Mr Alford anything, as he is only a boy of any graces of composition, afford also should be discovered, were expected to tion necessary for the introduction of the you can pay him \$100 if you like, that is have some result of a satisfactory nature; Bible into the interior of China, and nothing to me." and we frankly confessed that the necessary | said that recent events showed that at least measures to ensure that end were in the some of the missionaries were scarcely discreet enough for the task.

The Lord Bishop made a partial expla- the question of Mr Fischer's liability, as

This motion was seconded by the Hon. credit of their capture is, we understand, the Chief Justice, who spoke of the marked due to the efforts of Mr D. R. Caldwell, in | prudence of the great parent society, and his capacity as manager and adviser for the said that the Committee here had done not Licensees of the Gambling Farm. If, as is as- a little to strengthen general interest in its

The Hon. Mr Taylor having made a few remarks, the resolution was carried. The Rev. Canon Beach next proposed the

following resolution :- "That in reviewing the labours of the past year this meeting | olives .- Judgement went by default desires to express its thanksgiving to Al- both cases,.... mighty God for the prosperity youchsafed period; and at the same time this meeting This was seconded by the Rev. Mr Lechler, and unanimously carried.

The Rev. D. B. Morris next proposed:-'That the following be the officers for the ensuing year. Patron-His Excellency the Governor : President-The Lord Hishop of Victoria; Vice President-The Hon. the Chief Justice: Secretary—Rev. John Kyle: Treasurer- F. Blackbead, Esq.; Lay Committee-The Hon. J. B. Taylor, R. S. Walker, Esq., C. C. Smith, Esq., with power to add to their number."

This resolution, having been seconded by the Rev. Chaplain of the U.S.S. Piscatagua,

In responding to a vote of thanks for

TO-DAY'S POLICE. Before Mr May this morning, a fair amount of cases were disposed of. In connection with a daring harbor robin a pull-away boat-luspector Daly stated The inquest was resumed at 4 o'clock | that Mr Acting Superintendent Deane refor trial, Mr Tarrant acceded to the advice | this evening, when all the Jurors appeared. ported to him (at midnight) a robbery, and that he was engaged in the Store (Sayle & prisoner (Chun Yuet Wo) was found in a tice was himself suspended upon a charge | Co.'s) about the time he ought to have been | pull-away hoat coming from Yau-mah-tee; chiefly supported by Colonel Caine, and re- at the inquest, that he was the only man and a most unsatisfactory account was cognised to be false the moment the pro- in the store who could speak Chinese, and given by the prisoner of his movements.-He that a lady came in who had to be attend- Mr May therefore ordered prisoner to find

Sergeant O'Brien, water police, charged having stolen an anchor and thirty fathoms Point last night. The owner of fast-boat having identified the anchor as Chief Justice refused to preside at his trial; not hold out any hopes that the mitigated his property, and recognised the second prisoner as a man who had stolen from him

the Jury thought fit. There was no money | the charge. - Mr May sent prisoner to hard labor for three months.

The piracy at Tsing I (in which five Bench during the afternoon and evening. was expected to be remanded again. The on the 10th instant, a number of old Californian Chinese took passage in a fast-boat to Heung-shan, having with them over \$8000 worth of gold-dust on board; but instead of going straight on, it is alleged the junk anchored off Tsing I, where two snake-boats attacked and robbed the passengers of their valuable property. One of the prisoners now under trial is said to be the head man.

"What blessings children are!" as the parish clerk said when he took the fees for Peking. On September the 16th they ar-London in little more than 12 hours. We christening them,

(Before the Hon. H. J. BALL.).

February 2, 1869. This case was adjudged according to an the mandarins and provided with suitable been received warning the 59th Regiment. award given by the arbitrator. Judgment clothing for the remainder of their jour- to be in readiness to proceed to India within

have been refused by the servants of Mr | not transpired. Fischer, who stated that their master had gone out

Phintiff, who described himself as a surveyor, stated that he had drawn the four plans produced by the defendant, and that

Defendant here said that Mr Fischer considered that these plans were "no use." Defendant said he was asked by Mr Fischer room; and he further stated that Mr Fisthe payment, "Mr Storey says not to pay

His Honor said that defendant had asked the plaintiff to do the plans, and he would have to pay for them: he would not go into

Plaintiff said that he did not care from whom he got the money. Judgment for the plaintiff for the amount

J. Santos v. V. Fernandes, \$10, wages as a midwife.—Plaintiff attends persons in the capacity of midwife, and sued for the above amount as balance of a \$12 fee charged for such service. Defendant, who is a colored man, said

that \$6 was the usual fee for poor people, and be offered to pay that amount. His Honor said there was no agreement, and as he thought \$12 too much, and \$6 too

little, he would give judgement for \$8. W. Driscole v. J. Collaco, \$2.50, for one

dozen beer; Same v. G. Dubost, \$3.93, for

THE NORTH.

(From the Recorder.) Our readers will be glad to learn that Ko. the Chu jen who absconded from Yangchow, has been arrested and identified by Mr Taylor. The Chinese authorities refuse, however to punish him as a ringleader inasmuch as one man has already suffered in that capacity. This objection is, we understand, a technical one, and does not neces-

would legally have incurred as a ringleader. their position were ultimately brought the private door of the shop on business, 40 miles E. of the Barren Islands sprang a deck in an agony of distress; throwing off said to the man, "Take no notice of what leak, which increased to such an extent that most of his clothes he was about to make he does; his brain is affected, for he has the Captain deemed it advisable to put the attempt to swim with her to shore, been drinking lately." Mr. Dyton, after back to Shanghai. The water, however, when one of the crew, a powerful black looking wildly, returned upstairs. He went gained on thom so rapidly that in order to man, and a noted swimmer, begged to be to bed, and his wife sat by his bedside prevent her from sinking she was ran on allowed to take the lady-she was the only watching him. At present very little is the South Saddle. When she struck there | lady on board-on his back. The captain, | known as to the exact nature of the occur-The sails, spears, and everything moveable tional warmth of his affection would com- ascertained, the following appear to be are busily engaged in stripping her.

The Captain estimates the loss at \$2,000. The thieves had evidently mistaken the vessel for the American barque Arthur, which had taken in a large quantity of Sycée the day before, and luckily for them largest amount of Sycee yet shipped by one | barque Nossa Senhora de Conocição, which only after she was carried into the surgery. vessel, nearly Tls. 300,000.

weather has been very mild.

shipment here to England.

Loong premises are once more to be occa- 7th instant from Lisbon, and is said to be pied by a leading mercantile firm, the en- destined to take the expeditionary force to terprising American House of Smith Ar- the Mozambique. cher & Co., the representatives we believe of Messrs A. A. Lowe & Co. of New York. having determined on extending their operations from Hongkong to Shanghai, It looks well for the business prospects of the place when firms of good standing are attracted to it, and every such accession should be gladly welcomed as an evidence other's hard to get down. of the approach of better times.

We have received intelligence of the Annam Tribute bearers who are en route to self in his defence of Kars.

and escort from the Futai and conducted to Lwei-ling, the capital of the Province, which they reached on November 10th. F. Tyebally v. A. H. Chinoy, £46.15.— | Here they were generously entertained by

> THE WRECK OF THE GOSSAMER. The following account of the wreck of this ill-fated vessel is taken from the columns of the Western News :-

The Gossamer, a China tea clipper ship, of 735 tons register, was built in 1864, by Mr Stevens, of Glasgow. She was a composite ship, wood with iron frame, and classed A 1.15 years at Lloyd's. She left the Downs for Adelaide, Australia, on Wednesday, in charge of Grant, a London pilot, her master being Mr Thompson, and her surgeon Mr Dale. She had but one passenger on board. Mr Dale was to call at Plymouth to embark other passengers under the agency of Messrs, Wilcocks and Weekes; and among them were the Rev. Mr Jeffries, family, and servants, and Miss King. On Thursday, during a strong SW breeze and a heavy sea, Gossamer was working her way The captain, who had been but three weeks Regiment is to be redistributed in Australia. cious of danger. The mate was with the pilot on deck, and about noon called Grant's Ceylon during February. attention to the fact that they were, in his judgment, standing too close in shore to the Start, but the pilot declared they were all right, and continued on the starboard tack. Shortly afterwards the ship got very

will be so arranged as to ensure his receiv- the sequel showed, they would probably was at that time noticed in his manner. ing a punishment equal to that which he have been saved, as all who maintained Last Saturday morning a man called at The ship Sea Queen, which left this port ashore by means of the rocket apparatus. and Mr. Dyton came down stairs to see him. a short time ago for Nagasaki, when about The captain and his young wife were on Mrs. Dyton ran down stairs after him, and will be saved, as the second mate and crew pensate for the want of power in his arm, the facts:declined, and the gallant negro, believing | Mrs. Dyton sat up, attending on her hus-

THE PORTUGUESE COLONIES.

had perished.

The India Portugueza (a Goa journal) of they had done so, as if they had gone on the 11th instant, in writing on the rising free from ice, and from all accounts the ment of Mozambique to assist it with a family. reinforcement of 600 men and a train of artillery, which are in course of prepara-The amount of Cotton now daily making tion. It appears that some fatality hangs its way towards Kin-le-yuen is something over the Portuguese Colonies. What has Give a fresh order! noticeable; every steamer up River takes happened in Western Africa our readers from 3,000 to 3,600 hales, for native con- have been already informed. The eastern ner (of the Constitution)-"Suspensory sumption above Hankow. Times are con- side is in the hands of the rebels; Timor Bill. sidembly changed since that period, not is hotly engaged in a revolt, the result of found their way down the great river for a most critical situation. Such is the state of the vast possessions of our Portugal!" We are glad to hear that the Kwang The ship Viajante arrived at Gos on the

> Out Bailey sentences may be considered somewhat paradoxical, inasmuch as they are usually Newgate-ory.

WHAT is the difference between a hill and CABBY'S' friend-General Sir Fenwick Williams, who so greatly distinguished him-

When is a convert like a tussle close to known of the persons chiefly concerned in rived on the frontier of the Kwangse Pro- you! When it's a near fight (neophyte.)

MILITARY MOVEMENTS. We find the following in the Ceylon Observer of January, 11th :-. We were, this morning, taken by surprise. by the intelligence that a Telegram had

ney. Thence they were escorted overland, a month. Our readers are aware that it the River being dry, to the confines of the was proposed to station a wing of the 73rd R. G. Alford v. Yu Wong, \$40, for draw- Hunan Province to be received, and passed Regiment at Galle at the cost of the ing certain plans.—Defendant, who is a on by that Futai to the next and so on to Imperial Government, the Colony only contractor for carpenter work, stated that the end of the chapter. They expected to providing barracks. Some difficulties seem he lad taken out a summons against Mr reach Peking by the close of the Chinese to have arisen, however, and the result is Maximilian Fischer; but this was found to year. The character of their Tribute has said to be that the 59th will be entirely withdrawn, the 73rd taking its place. By the terms of our agreement we are entitled to a Regiment of Infantry of ordinary strength, and perhaps the arrangement now will be that the whole of the 73rd will come here instead of a part being left at Singapore. Before we go to press we hope to receive further information. There have been changes enough of arrangement certainly since the compact of so many troops for so much money was entered into. Since writing the above we have ascertained that it is the intention of the War Office to have only one European. Regiment in Ceylon. The whole of the 73rd is to replace the whole of the 50th and after the arrival of the 73rd the 59th will proceed to India: what station is not yet known. The 75th is to be divided between China and Singapore: the left wing moving from China to Singapore.

We hear also that the 50th is positively t : leave Australia in the "Himalaya," even it the 18th is retained for a time for service in New Zealand. In that case the 14th The 73rd being expected here about the end of March, the 59th will probably leave

HORRIBLE DEATH OF A BANKER'S CLERK AND HIS WIFE.

On the morning of Dec. 11, soon after 4 close under the land, and the pilot gave o'clock, Mr. James Dytou, a clerk in the the order to tack. The flood tide, however, Provincial Bank, London, who had been was sweeping round the point, and its residing for a fortnight previously at Mr. strength the pilot had miscalculated. On Kerslake's, a bootmaker, carrying on busiattempting to tack the ship missed stays; | ness at 45, High-street, Borough, destroyed there was not time to make a further tack, his life while in a state of delirium, brought and in a minute or two the captain, attract- on by excessive drinking. His wife, who ed by the shouts, rushed on deck exclaiming, was only 26 years of age, was accidentally "For heaven's sake where are we?" his killed while trying to save the life of her ship being driven by a SSW wind and tide | husband. The facts of the sad affair may broadside on to the breakers. Two anchors | be briefly told-Mr. Dyton was 32 years of were instantly let go, but the bottom was | age. Four years ago he married. His wife rock and loose shingle, and they would not | was a member of a respectable family, and and in less time than it has taken to for some time after the marriage they lived pen the fact the Gossamer was beating on happily together. Unfortunately, Mr. Dyjagged rocks 60 yards from shore, green | ton gave way to drink. He had several atseas breaking over her and sweeping the | tacks of delirium, and at last his constitution decks. These occurrences had been watch- became so shaken that he was attacked with ed by the Coast-guard, who saw the im- brain fever. After he had recovered from minent danger of the ship long before the | the illness it was noticed by his friends that pilot had done so, and who, under the orders | he was very strange in his manners. He of their chief officer, Mr Pengelly, had got out used frequently to tremble, and his eyes the rocket apparatus and conveyed it to the used to roll. It was decided by his family point nearest to the wreck. The crew were that it would be better for the deceased to so terrified by their position, in momentary leave his former residence and go to a place danger of being washed over, and unable where he was not known. A fortnight ago to perceive the preparations being made on he, his wife, and their daughter, three years... shore for their rescue, that several of them of age, called upon Mr. Kerslake, and they jumped overboard to swim ashore. Most were let the two rooms on the third floor. sarily arise from any desire to defeat the of these, however, unhappily perished in Mr. Dyton gave a reference to the manager ends of justice. It is expected that matters | the attempt; had they remained aboard, as | of the Provincial Bank, and nothing peculiar

CHEFOO.—The weather here, as far as the that the vessel would probably be shivered band, the whole of Thursday night. He was winter has yet gone, has been remarkably to fragments, plunged into the sea, and in bed, and his wife, who had removed her mild; at Christmas there was a little ice. swam ashore with ease. A moment after a dress, sat on a chair and rested her head on but since then it has been more like spring | tremendons sea tore the wife from her | the bed. The child was lying in a cot in a than winter. The diggers have all been | busband's grasp, and washed her over : the | corner of the room. The husband was quiet driven away from the diggings by the Chi- captain instantly jumped after her, but the until four o'clock. At that time he jumped nese, and are now in Chefoo waiting for the back tow of the wave swept him and his out of bed and ran to the window, which spring, when they expect to receive rein- wife seawards, and they were both drown- overlooks the High-street, and threw it up. forcements from Shanghai, and intend ed within a few yards of each other. Two As he was in the act of throwing himself going farther into the country, where the hours afterwards their bodies came ashore, out his wife, who had run across the room gold is said to be more plentiful. If they and were taken to Chivelstone Farm, half after him, threw her arms round his waist. do so, they will have to go in great force, a mile inland. Meanwhile the rocket ap- | She succeeded in pulling him back, and a as the Chinese are determined to drive paratus was got to work by the Coast-guard, dreadful struggle ensued between them. them away from the diggings at all hazards. and so effectually that all those remaining | The chairs were overturned and the other On the night of the 12th instant the on board were saved before the vessel broke furniture was knocked about. Mr. Dyton community here was thrown into a state up. Mr Popplestone, the recipient of the was a man of great strength, and, although of great excitement owing to a large party Albert medal, was exceedingly active in his wife was a fine woman and made desof masked foreigners having forced their this good work. The Gossamer had on perate efforts to prevent his committing way on board the Russian barque Amur. board in all thirty souls, and it was not suicide, she was at last overpowered, but she They put the Captain in irons and locked until late on Friday evening that the would not let go her hold. He rushed to the mate in his room; the irons being too survivors were mustered at Kingsbridge, the window again and threw himself out. small for him. They then ransacked the and it was definitely ascertained that seven- His wife's arms were round his waist, and cabin and removed everything portable. | teen only had been saved, and that thirteen | she was dragged with him. The child, which was awoke by the noise, lay in its cot in a state of terror. There was no other person in the house, for Mr Kerslake had left it the preceding night to go to his home in

A Policeman states that he found the dead board the Arthur they would have had a at Mozambique, says-"the news relative body of Mr. Dyton lying on the pavement warm reception, the Captain having had to the Portuguese possession is very sad, in front of the house. Mrs. Dyton, who all the available arms loaded, and being The Governor Antonio Augusto Correa was still alive, was lying on the pavement prepared for any emergency. No trace of Lacerda died on the 31st August last, after near him. Stretchers were procured, and the thieves has yet been discovered, but no having almost lost the expedition that wa: both the bodies were lifted out of the pool doubt will in a short time, for if they have sent against the Banga, as our readers a e of blood in which they lay, and were carried gone in the country they will be driven already aware. The noble Governor was to Guy's Hospital, where they were seen by back by the Chinese, and it is hardly pos- much esteemed and his death has been Mr. Sells, the house surgeon. His examinasible for them to leave Chefoo without dis- generally lamented. Unluckily, as mis- tion showed that the skulls of both were covery. The Kin Shu takes from here the fortunes do not usually come single, the fractured. Mrs. Dyton lived for two minutes was conveying ammunition to assist the. On the afternoon of the same day the Our advices from Taku are dated the district of Lourenco Marquiz, has been sister of Mrs. Dyton called at Mr. Ker-26th December, and at that time the River | wrecked. It is said that the Governor of slake's, and took away the little daughter, between Taku and Tientsin was entirely Goa has been requested by the Govern- who it was stated would be adopted by the

> THE NEW WAY TO PAY OLD DEBTS .-A successor to Jack Ketch as executio-

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Post-Office Notifications.

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February at 9 A.M., and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M.

All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. on the 9th February will be chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with a Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 9th February.

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Murseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 8.30 to 8.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be drepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to

the United Kingdom will be sent on

charged with a fine of One Shilling in addition to the postage. Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 9tl February will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as early as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, if posted after 8 P.M. on the 8th February will be re-

Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees. when the bramp of Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the lower left hand corner.

turned until after the mail is closed.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January. 1864, and no other Coing, but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 8th Feb. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General

General Post-Office, Hongkong, January 26, 1869.

1. On the 1st October next, and thenceforward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies, thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz. :-

For sums not exceeding £2,.....12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,...24

2.—No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny.

3.—Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation.

4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United King dom, showing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama.

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, usual designation of such firm, such "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Rivington." or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, sucl

as "Carron Co." is inadmissible. 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7.—When an Order is presented through a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed witl the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be i the employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Mo- sels of all classes. ney Order to be affixed to the Order in the At Hongkong the Company have the Above 1 month and place provided for the purpose. If the only Dock in the harbour,—a Granite Payee be unable to write he must sign the | Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to | Above 3 months and receipt by making his mark in the presence admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and of a Witness, who must sign his name, with drawing 22 feet of water. his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

desire to receive payment in the Country in Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was origlaally drawn, the transfer will be granted, and are ready to contract for the construct Reduction in the Rates of Premium. provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of reduced rates. the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the

Original Order was payable. tion, orders will be given to stop payment Post-Office Notifications.

of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the be dispatched with the usual Mails last case will be deducted from the amount for Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the 9th of the new Order, Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

ud2rt But, when it is desired that, any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee on the 8th February. Letters, &c., may should be corrected or that the amount of be posted in the night box from 8 P.M. a Money Order should be repaid to the pared to accept Marine risks and issue on the 8th February until 7 A.M. on the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should following morning. which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission-will-be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14. -Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn; for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -for instance if drawn in January and not paid thefore the end of the following January-all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless under peculiar circumstances, the Pos Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer the Post Office, the Postmaster General the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.-No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18.-Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made

as occasion may require. 19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others either in the United Kingdom or at Hong kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders. By Command.

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster. GeneralGeneral Post Office, Hongkoug, 22nd August, 1868.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st March next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE N. MINTO. - Secretary.

Hongkong, December 1, 1868. FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED

THE above Dock has been in full working 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out

For further particulars as to the price of coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Sil ver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co., Shanghai; or to the Undersigned

In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application

JOHN C. SKEY. Manager.Pagoda Auchorage, River Min.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Ves-

Attached to it there are Shipwrights. Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery 9.—Should the Payce of a Money Order works, and everything necessary for the The Company have also opened a Ship-yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock,

> At Whampon the Company have four Insurance, viz:--Docks, in which they will take Ships at Detached and Semi-detached The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

tion of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any

can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates. For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

A. D. MITCHELL, : Munager of Works 11.—On the receipt of a similar, applica- Company's Office, H. kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868,

Insurances

DOEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON.

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000, HE Undersigned having been appointed Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

> ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTÎNE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY, Esq., M.D.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Com-pany are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of proposala. &c. apply to

Hongkong, June, 1867. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARIN INSURANCE COMPANY HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China.

Company, are prepared to grant Marin AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

> LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

> > '(FIRE AND LIFE,

CAPITAL, -TWO MILLIONS STERLING. HE Undersigned are prepared to gran Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be're ceived, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1600 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867. JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sed Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding } 4 of the Annual Rate. one month,... Above 1 month and not exceeding three $\langle 2 \rangle$

months,.... Above 3 m tha and not exceeding six months....

Above 6 m'tis, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., , Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIVERPOOL. AND LONDON & GLOBI

INSURANCE COMPANIES. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this order for the last four years. Length | Port, are prepared to grant Policies against or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed 'AGENTS' for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsui and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-ANGE at current rates.

DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding 1 month, \(\frac{1}{2}\) of the annual rate

not exceeding 3,... } not exceeding 6, ... 3 Above 6 months,...., the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY: TINTIL further notice the following Anunual Rates will be charged for Fire

Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. . ½ per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

Contents, Godowns, Officae, Shops, &c. and their Contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance where the the Company of the man Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

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BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILI INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents. per cent

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. . per cent. Godowns, Offices, Shops, and their Contents.

per cent Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY [ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:— Not exceeding one 11 of the annual rate.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months, bove 3 months, and not exceeding 6

months. Above 6 months. the full Annual rate. Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

HE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

RGILMAN & Co Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at

Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Hongkong and Canton are prepared to Insurances at current rates. grant Policies at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding 1 month; & per cent. Above 1 month and not \sim exceeding 3 months, ½ Above 3 months and not exceeding $6, \ldots, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{1}{4}$ do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE. HE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hougkong, October 14, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are will be deducted during a visit to or a perprepared to grant Fire and Marine Theurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. FINHE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, Three months. Six months. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE.

ROM and after this date the following Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding and the Annual Rate. Above 1 month

and not exceeding three months,.... Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding six (4 " months, Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STEELING. per cent. THE Undersigned having been appointed . 1 per cent. port, are prepared to grant Policies against for Sums not exceeding £2,000 without Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings reference to the Head Office. or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

Insurances. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY. NOTICE. L ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.—

Not exceeding to the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three 2 3 months, Above 3 m'ths

months.... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

ERITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE

LIMITED. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

INSURANCE COMPANY,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

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not exceeding 6,..... 3 Above 6 months ... MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Agents the Queen Insurance Company Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. BE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for

the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates Hongkong, August 9 1867.

NOTICE. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1821. CAPITAL £2,000,000 HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868,

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (Life Department.) Proper Cent. per Annum Bonus declared LZ during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the repre-sentatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters.

By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the

No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which

mament resident in Europe :-WITHOUT WITH Participation PARTICIPATION 4. 14 6 18

N.B. Intermediate ages charged propor-For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, rates will be charged for Short Period | and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents, SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

> AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. THE Undersigned having been appointed Policies against Sea Risks on the usual Agents for the above INSURANCE terms. OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA. SINGAPOBE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, Or LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.)

INCREASE OF LIMIT. THE Undersigned have received Extended Limits, and are now authorized to Agents for the above Company at this accept RISKS and to issue Life Policies ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, January 19, 1869.

Insurances.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding One d per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding } ther cent. Three Months, Above Three Months and not exceeding > per cent.

Six Months.

Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months. of 1 per cent. ROB, S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hougkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

A HE Undersighed having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur! Company of Liverpool.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE

RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-FECTS, therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent, per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as

follows, until further notice, viz. :--Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents.

Other Dwelling-Houses (simi larly situated) and their Contents 4 4 f per cent first Class China House and their Contents Other Risks as per special arrangement ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF 2. 2 SAN FRANCISCO. College

Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. /NHE Undereigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at current rates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL

THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured, of each

Company for that year divided prograts to the amount o premium paid by each po-RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

year at the close of each current year,

fifteen, (15) per cent of the profits of the

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above, Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Poli-

cy covering Marine Risks, at the current F.USSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN F SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. 'HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA

Macao, August 4, 1866.

RAYNAL & Co.

ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the shove named Companies are prepared to grant SIEMSSEN & Co. Houghoug, August 1866.

NOTICE. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. L'ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Pericd Insurances:-Not exceeding one month, } of the Annual rate. Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, $\frac{1}{2}$, Above 3 months and not exceed. ing 6 minthe 3 Above 6 months,... the full annual rate. TURNER & Co.

Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

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SHIPPING IN HARBOUR

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Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

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